

Remarks:

Applicant has studied the pending Office Action, and has amended the application to comply with the Examiner's suggestion and to maintain the application in condition for allowance.

Claims 1-9 are pending in the application and are allowed. The applicant wishes to thank the Examiner for finding allowable subject matter.

No amendment made was related to the statutory requirements of patentability unless expressly stated herein; and no amendment made was for the purpose of narrowing the scope of any claim, unless Applicants have expressly argued herein that such amendment was made to distinguish over a particular reference or combination of references.


If for any reason the Examiner finds the application other than in condition for allowance, the Examiner is requested to call the undersigned attorney at the Los Angeles, California, telephone number (213) 623-2221 to discuss the steps necessary for placing the application in condition for allowance.

Respectfully submitted,
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Amendments to the Drawings:

Please replace the provided replacement sheets making corrections to Figures 4 and 5, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.121(d). Specifically, the replacement sheets are provided to renumber FIG. 4 as FIG. 5 and FIG. 5 as FIG. 4 to be consistent with the disclosure provided in the detailed description.